

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 07-1039-WO-US)

In the Application of:)	
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David Paul Humphreys)	
Serial No.:)	Examiner: Nancy S. Vogel
10/531,402)	
Filing Date:)	Group Art Unit: 1636
October 11, 2005)	
)	Confirmation No. 8981
For: <i>E.coli</i> host cells with modified phoS/pstS)	
periplasmic phosphate-binding proteins,)	
and method of manufacturing recombinant)	
Fabs)	

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION DATED OCTOBER 30, 2008
AND REQUEST FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Please consider the following amendments made in response to the Office Action mailed October 30, 2008. Applicants also request a two-month extension of time for the response. The Office is authorized to charge any required fee, or credit any over-payment, to Deposit Account No. 13-2490.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.